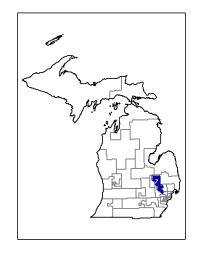
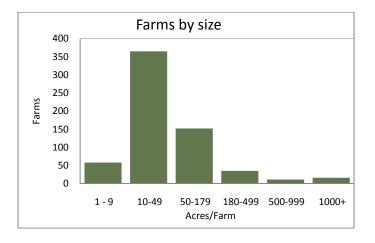
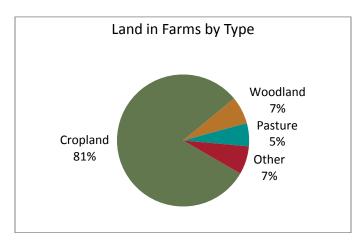


## Michigan Senate District 26



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	986	938	+ 5
Number of Farms	637	621	+ 3
Land in Farms	73,168 acres	65,834 acres	+ 11
Average Size of Farm	115 acres	106 acres	+ 8
Irrigated Land	750 acres	878 acres	- 15
Market Value of Products Sold	\$40,792,000	\$16,838,000	+ 142
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$64,037	\$27,115	+ 136
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$3,950,000	\$2,147,000	+ 84
Government Payments	\$863,000	\$633,000	+ 36
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,296	\$6,885	- 9







**State Legislative Profile** 

## Michigan, Senate District 26

Ranked items among the 38 senate districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry and their products	40,792 34,273 6,519	22 20 22	31 31 30
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	12,802 - - 957 685 17,875 127	18 - - 23 22 11 21	29 - - 29 27 31 26
Other crops and hay	1,828	17	29
Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	54 (D) 3,029 78 46 991 1 (D)	24 24 22 22 22 9 19 (D)	30 29 25 28 29 28 21 27
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop Wheat for grain, all Vegetables harvested for sale	18,294 17,474 8,927 3,721 662	18 20 21 20 23	28 29 30 27 29
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves Horses and ponies Layers Deer Sheep and lambs	3,819 2,191 1,223 883 686	23 19 24 6 20	28 31 29 24 28

## **Other Senate District Highlights**

<b>Economic Characteristics</b>	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	245
\$1,000 to \$2,499	71
\$2,500 to \$4,999	68
\$5,000 to \$9,999	82
\$10,000 to \$19,999	40
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16
\$25,000 to \$39,999	20
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	30
\$100,000 to \$249,999	25
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14
\$500,000 or more	14
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	37.536
Average per farm (\$)	58,926
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	8,068
Average per farm (\$)	12,666

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation: Farming Other	298 339
Principal operators by sex: Male Female	484 153
Average age of principal operator (years)	56
All operators by race <sup>2</sup> : American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White More than one race	13 2 4 - 947 7
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	4

(D) Cannot be disclosed.
Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.